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Response Under 37 CFR § 1.116
Expedited Procedure - Group 2624

In re Application of:

MASAHIKO TOMINAGA

Application No.: 09/855,586

Filed: May 16, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A
NETWORKED IMAGING SYSTEM

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P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Docket No.

03560.002807.

Examiner: P. Huntsinger

Group Art Unit: 2624

Date: May 8, 2006

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response To Final Office Action in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | * 23 | MINUS | ** 23 | = 0 | x \$25 \$50 | 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | * 11 | MINUS | *** 11 | = 0 | x \$100 \$200 | 0 |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360 | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT--- | | | | | | -0- |

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- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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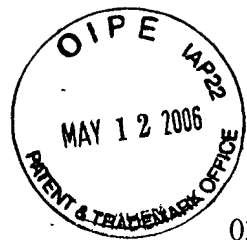
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PATENT APPLICATION

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action dated February 8, 2006.

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